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TRIMMED THE TARKS

NORMAL BEARCATS GAVE THEM A SOUND DRUBBING, 40-34

WAS REMARKABLE GAME

With Line-up Shot to Pieces and the Players Sick, Team Battled Hard to "Go Over the Top"

1917.

At Tarkio—
Maryville 30; Tarkio 14.
At Home—
Maryville 25; Tarkio 23.

1918.

At Tarkio—
Maryville 32; Tarkio 30.
At Home—
Maryville 40; Tarkio 34.

The Tarkio basket ball team returned to their homes this morning after their game with the Normal Bearcats last night, a sadder but wiser bunch. Coach Stives' men had lost the game they had refused to postpone when they thought they would have a cinch winning an easy victory from a quintet of green players. The Bearcats beat 'em and had six points to spare when the scrimmage was over; score 40-34.

Maybe it was the following letter from President Richardson, who is in the east on business, read to them just before the game by Athletic Director Walter Hanson, that helped to win the game. President Richardson wrote:

"Boys, give the Tarks their biggest surprise of the season. The students are with you, and I'll be thinking of your success somewhere in Pennsylvania. You can beat them. You have the pep; you have the grit; you know the game. Rush them off their feet; get the signal; get the jump; every man in the game; play the ball hard from first whistle to the last; never slacken, never waver; keep cool heads; be good sportsmen; snappy play; every man in the team play. Do your best, and I am with you all the time.

"IRA RICHARDSON."

The Normals, with the regular line up rearranged as a result of sickness, Miller and Wells being hardly in condition to play, put up a remarkable game. Wells was all but out during the last ten minutes of play and was replaced with Sawyers. Coach Palfreyman's men started in on an up-hill fight, but kept their determination to win in spite of the fact that the Tarks were slowly forging ahead. The Bearcats were pretty well spent at the end of the first half, but the Tarks were just two points to the good, score 21-19.

They went back for the last half and the rooters loosened up and gave them plenty of encouragement. With

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LOAN COMMITTEE IS NAMED

Chairman W. C. Pierce Begins Organization for Coming Liberty Bond Drive

In preparation for the coming drive for a third issue of Liberty bonds, County Chairman W. C. Pierce has named the following executive committee who will use their efforts to see that Nodaway county reaches its full apportionment of the sum that will be allotted. The committee is composed of J. B. Robinson, Geo. B. Baker, Jos. Jackson, Jr., W. F. Phares, Ferd M. Townsend, Geo. Robb Ellison and Harvey L. Haines.

Mr. Pierce has not been advised of the exact date on which the campaign will start nor the amount which Nodaway county will be expected to subscribe to the loan. From present indications it is believed the drive will start within the next thirty days and it is known that the sum that will be asked will be in excess of other Liberty loans.

Chairman Pierce said this morning that organization for the campaign was under way in the county and every effort will be made to put it over for the full amount that will be allotted.

Woman's Missionary Society of Centenary Church will have

MARKET

At Remus' Store Saturday February 23rd

CELEBRATE TARK VICTORY

Normal Students In Big Assembly and Half Holiday, Following Game Played Last Night

Normal students are celebrating today the victory of the Bearcats over the Tarkio basket ball team last night when the Tarks were beaten 40-34. A big assembly was held this morning following the first period and in songs and yells gave vent to what enthusiasm was left over. Also with President Richardson's permission, they are enjoying a half holiday. The permission was given in advance of his leaving for the east to attend a convention, and was conditional on their winning from the Tarks.

The young men of the school have planned a demonstration this afternoon on the campus when Tarkio, in the person of a basket ball player, who refuses to postpone games, will be burned in effigy. That is, they are going to try the stunt provided the faculty will give their permission. Further details later.

MUST VOTE ON BONDS AGAIN

Law In the Recent Buchanan County Election Not Fully Conformed to Says Bond Attorney

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

St. Joseph, Mo., Feb. 22.—As a result of an opinion by W. T. Rutherford, a St. Louis bond attorney, that the elections in Buchanan county January 24 last, at which a bond issue of 2 million dollars for constructing a system of hard surfaced roads in this county was carried, was not in strict conformity to the law another special election will be called at an early date.

Rutherford was employed to make an investigation for the Commerce Trust Company of Kansas City, whose bid for the first block of the bonds, amounting to $200,000, was accepted by the county court last week. Instead of having the regular voting booths put up for the election, voting places were provided in school houses and other buildings and these were not equipped with stalls in which the voter could prepare his ballot secretly, as the law requires. This, under a recent decision of the supreme court, Rutherford says, unquestionably invalidates the bonds.

M.H.S. TO KING CITY FOR GAME

Coach Shultz and Team Left This Morning — Interesting Game Is Expected

Coach Shultz and his team of High School basket ball players left this morning for King City, where they will play the King City team this evening. This is the first game this season between the two teams and an interesting game is expected, as both are believed to be pretty evenly matched. All the members of the M. H. S. team will be in the regular line-up in tonight's game, with Price being taken along for substitute in the event he is needed.

Two more games besides the one tonight remain on the High School schedule. They are with New Hampton on March 1, at Maryville and a return game with King City on March 8. New Hampton plays two games with Pattonsburg, one tonight at Pattonsburg and a second tomorrow night at New Hampton.

53 VARIETIES AT FUNSTON

In Religious Preferences at Training Camp, Methodists Lead—Catholics Are Second

Camp Funston, Feb. 22.—Fifty-three denominations are represented in the 89th Division, according to a compilation of religious statistics just completed by Lieut. Grant M. Wemeter, division statistical officer.

The Methodists lead all others, a total of 5,484 claiming that faith as their preference. Catholics come second with 4,442, and Baptists third, with 3,010.

Here is the order in which the other faiths rank: Christian church Lutherans, Presbyterians, Episcopalians, Congregationalists, Jewish, United Brethren and Christian Scientists.

There are 1,263 who state no preference as to church, and fifty-four who profess no faith whatever. There are sixty-nine Mennonites, fourteen Huttites and nine International Bible students.

Most of the conscientious objectors here are among the Mennonites, Huttites and Dunkards.

FOUR KILLED IN MINE EXPLOSION

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Virden, Ill., Feb. 22.—Four were killed in a mine explosion here this morning.

SHOULD KNOW RULES

IGNORANCE OF FOOD ADMINISTRATION RULES NO EXCUSE

ALL NOTICES PERSONAL

Dean F. B. Mumford Points Out That "Official" Notification to Dealers and Consumers Is Not Made

Columbia, Feb. 22.—Ignorance of the rules and regulations of the food administration is the plea of many merchants who have been selling excessive quantities of flour and sugar. Others declared they had received no official notification of the limitations on flour and sugar sales and of the rule requiring an equal amount of cereals to be sold with every flour purchase.

"I have seen in the papers about these matters," one merchant wrote F. B. Mumford, federal food administrator for Missouri, "but I have not been officially notified that I should follow these rules."

"Ignorance of the rules is no excuse," Mr. Mumford announced recently. "A personal notice to every merchant in the state is not necessary. When new laws are passed every individual is not notified personally that such laws have been passed and should be obeyed by him.

"The announcement of the new rules and regulations by the food administration should be sufficient. No other notice should be necessary. If any retailer is in doubt about any of the regulations he can find out about them easily enough by consulting his county food administrator.

In the last two weeks the office of the state food administration has been swamped with letters of inquiry, telegrams and telephone messages from merchants and others regarding the new food regulations. As soon as a new regulations is made hundreds of inquiries come pouring in. A bulletin containing all the recent regulations regarding the sale and consumption of food commodities is now being prepared by the state food administration.

SCHOOL TEAMS IN DEBATE

Burlington Junction and St. Joseph Will Meet Next Wednesday

The Burlington Junction High School debating team will meet the debaters from the St. Joseph Central High School at Burlington Junction on next Thursday evening. Miss Gladys Praiswater and Francis Walton will represent the Burlington Junction high school. They have taken part in four debates this year, winning each one of them. The question is, "Resolved, That a Federal Law, Making Arbitration Between Employe and Employer, Would Be Wise and Feasible."

WILL SELECT ENGINEER.

Arkoe Drainage Asso., Calls Another Meeting for Next Thursday.

A meeting of the officers and directors of the Arkoe Drainage District Association was held at the Arkoe State Bank yesterday evening, the purpose being to select an engineer to take charge of the plans and details of the work. There was no agreement reached at the meeting and another meeting will be held next Thursday. It is believed at that time an engineer will be agreed upon.

NINE PERSONS DEAD IN FIRE.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Boston, Feb. 22.—Nine persons were burned to death in a fire which destroyed the Miller Farm in West Peabody today.

Hanson to Pattonsburg.

Walter Hanson, athletic director at the Normal, left this morning for Pattonsburg, where he will referee a game tonight between Pattonsburg and New Hampton. The two teams will play a return game tomorrow night at New Hampton at which Mr. Hanson will also officiate.

Gets Word of Niece's Death.

Herman Barton received word this morning of the death of his niece, Mrs. Edna Schanitman Dittemore, at her home in St. Joseph. The funeral will be held Sunday. Mrs. Dittemore was the daughter of August Schanitman of St. Joseph.

Ralph Jamison of Waterloo, Ia., arrived in Maryville this morning for a few days visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Jamison.

John F. Williams of Onida, S. D., a former resident of Maryville, is visiting here this week.

WILL PAY ROYALTY FOR PLAY

"The Fortune Hunter" to be Given by Sunday School Class, One of New York's Big Successes

"The Fortune Hunter," that will be presented by the Friendship Class of the First M. E. church in the near future for the benefit of a Y. M. C. A. building fund, is one of the most successful comedies produced in New York in recent years, having had a phenominal run and is now being toured by several companies. It was only on the payment of a good sized royalty that the Friendship class was able to secure its use.

The story of "The Fortune Hunter" revolves around Nat Duncan, who, upon the advice of his friends and with capital furnished by them, decides to embark upon a wife-hunting expedition. The scheme is to go to a small town and live very quietly for one year. The theory upon which the pursuit is conducted is that in a small town there is at least one girl who has a fortune. All the young men who are worth while move away to larger cities to make their fortunes, but the poor girls have to remain behind, and these who are really above the average are forced to remain single, because they will not marry the riff-raff which remains, according to the theorists. This leaves Nat Duncan with a clear field in any town he selects.

Duncan's experiences prove the theory. The village banker's daughter really falls in love with him, and in accordance with the expectations it is actually she who proposes before the end of the year. But there is no such sordid end to the tale. It has been a part of the program that Nat should work during his year of residence in the village. He has become a successful business man while endeavoring to win a fortune and at the same time he has found the girl who can make him happy, and it does not happen to be the girl with the million.

It is a charming, wholesome story, touched with tender humor and filled with quaint philosophy, with just the sort of love interest that makes one glad to know about, because it is both pure and sincere.

HUNS OCCUPY BALTIC PORT.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Copenhagen, Feb. 21.—German troops have occupied Harsal, an important Baltic port, according to information today.

TERRY McGOVERN DEAD.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

New York, Feb. 22. — Terry McGovern, former feather weight champion of the world, died this morning.

REJECT STERLING AMENDMENT.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Washington, Feb. 22.—The senate this afternoon rejected the Sterling amendment to the railroad bill giving the rate fixing into the hands of the interstate commerce committee.

Albert Craig Home.

Albert Craig of Camp Funston, Ks., arrived in Maryville this morning to visit over Sunday with his mother, Mrs. Gallatin Craig. Miss Laura Craig, a sister of Mr. Craig, and Harry Holmes, who are attending school at Columbia, are expected here tomorrow morning.

Married by Probate Judge.

Fred Webster and Miss Esther Hensley, both of Burlington Junction, were issued a marriage license this afternoon and were later married by Probate Jesse Robertson at the court house.

Came for Tarkio Game.

Accompanying C. R. Stives, coach of the Tarkio basket ball team, for the game last night were the following players and fans: R. Huddle, A. Legge, Wm. Graham, H. Whitness, C. McCoy, J. Patterson, E. Tussey, R. Cagley and C. Trimbel.

Farm Sale.

Clarence Merrigan has sold his 80-acre farm, west of town, to Frank Dinsmore, possession to be given March 1. Consideration $11,200. The transaction was made through Wallace Bros. Land Co.

80 Acres for $12,000.

The 80-acre farm of George Cox, four and a half miles northwest of Maryville was sold to George Aley for $12,000. The deal was made by C. P. Anderson.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Groppe returned to Maryville last evening after a four months' visit in Minnesota and at Red Cloud, Nebr., with their son, John Groppe.

Miss Helen Bickett visited last Saturday and Sunday in Kansas City with her sisters, Mrs. Harvey Clark and Mrs. Homer Dragoo.

"SINGS" POPULAR

IN BUSINESS HOUSES AND HOMES SONG WEEK IS OBSERVED

STORES JOIN MOVEMENT

At Remus Mercantile Co., and Alderman-Yehle Stores, Customers and Employees Joined In Song

If you have not taken part in a "sing" on any night this week you have been missing some enjoyable events that are being held all over the city in the observance of the national week of song. Last night at the home of Miss Helen Zenor, director of music at the Normal, a number of public school teachers and newspaper folks gathered to sing the old time songs—and some newer ones, too—and to get better acquainted with each other in a social way.

At the High School and Normal school at ten o'clock this morning in every room patriotic songs were sung, while in the stores, employees and proprietors joined in a celebration of the week. At the Remus Mercantile Co., employees and customers stopped long enough to sing four patriotic songs, "The Star Spangled Banner," "Just Before the Battle, Mother," "We're Tenting Tonight On the Old Camp Ground," and "Tramp, Tramp, Tramp, the Boys Are Marching." At the Alderman-Yehle dry goods store over twenty employees joined in singing patriotic songs led by Marcus T. Nielsen of the Conservatory of Music, accompaniment being with victrola music.

The Friday morning drill period at the Business University was given to participation in the "song week" festivities, and many of the patriotic airs were sung by the students.

President Padgett gave a short talk on Washington as a true American and the sacrifices made by him and our forefathers for the blessings of liberty which we enjoy today.

A number of neighbors and friends met last night at the home of Mrs. R. H. Perry, 401 E. Third street, and enjoyed an old time singing. Mrs. Vivian Sowder presided at the piano and the singing was led by Prof. Padgett of the Business University. Many of the old songs, patriotic, sacred and love songs, were sung.

In keeping with the spirit of the occasion, Mrs. Perry had prepared a large tub of popcorn, which was popped over the fire and had an old time flavor, which was served as refreshments, while all engaged in old time story telling. Prof. Padgett sang some of the old time negro melodies and related some of his experiences with the old time southern negro, which delighted all present.

WINS $500 PRIZE IN CONTEST

G. C. Ashbrook of Skidmore Gets First Prize In National Highways Association Contest

G. C. Ashbrook of Skidmore won $500, the first prize, in the Du Pont-Davis road photographic contest conducted by the National Highways Association.

The purpose of this nation-wide contest was to secure for the National Highways Association photographs of roads, and the hope of adding strength to its membership and means, so the association might be able to prosecute its work for "Good Roads Everywhere."

The judging of the photographs was left to three individuals of nation-wide, yes, world-wide prominence, they being none other than Theodore Roosevelt, Mark Sullivan and Ida M. Tarbell, and after the closing of the contest on November 7, 1916, these judges found themselves confronted by the enormous task of selecting the photographs that were to be awarded the 166 prizes from the 5,513 entries that were made by the 864 contestants from 52 states and territories. So great was the task that it was not possible to make awards until February 12, 1918.

Other winners in Missouri in the contest were.

Elmer E. Long of Anderson; Dr. Geo. Dock of St. Louis; Chas. Sheapard of Clinton; and W. A. Lippman of St. Louis.

KILL POLITICAL PRISONERS.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

El Paso, Feb. 22.—Wholesale executions of political prisoners who are accused of plotting against the government are taking place in Mexico, according to reports reaching here.

TROOPS IN NEW TERRITORY

Capture of Germans by Americans May Be Significant of Army's Presence on the French Battle Front

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

With the American Army in France, Feb. 22.—An American soldier captured a lone German in a shell hole shortly before daylight and brought him into camp. The American soldier was in the Chemindesdames district shortly before daybreak when he became lost and after capturing his man awaited daybreak before bringing him in. This is the first mention made in dispatches from France of American soldiers being in the Chemindesdames district.

Official Washington is deeply interested in the reported capture of a German in the Chemindesdames district, but the war department had nothing further to offerthan the International News Press report. The fact, however, that General Pershing allowed the fact to become known that the Americans are now fighting in this noted battle sector, shows the Americans are operating side by side with the French in addition to having taken over one sector, and it will only be a short time until Americans will be taking a hand to hand part everywhere along the western front.

GIVES WILSON FREE HAND

Senate Votes to Give President Absolute Power to Handle Railroads During the War

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Washington, Feb. 22.—The senate voted this afternoon to give President Wilson a free hand, unlimited even by law, in the control of the railroads during the war. The bill as it now stands provides that the railroads shall be subject to all laws governing common carriers in so far as such laws do not conflict with any orders issued by the president.

REVOLT IN SPAIN IMMINENT

Will Irwin, Returned War Correspondent, Makes Prediction of Big Events in Europe

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

New York, Feb. 22.—A revolution in Spain and the eventful election of King Alfonso as the first president of the Spanish Republic was the prediction here today of Will Irwin, war correspondent just returned from Europe. Irwin also believes Germany will make a gigantic attempt to put France out of the war this spring. He says he would not be surprised should drive be made through Switzerland.

THOUSANDS ILL IN PEORIA

Mysterious Poisoning Affects Hundreds in Illinois Town—Unable to Locate the Cause

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Peoria, Ill., Feb. 22.—Health authorities here today are bending every effort toward discovering the source of the mysterious poisoning which has affected almost three thousand persons in Peoria and surrounding towns. Every doctor here, not himself a victim with the malady, is swamped with patients. There are no fatalities so far. Analysis of the water supply is declared to have established the fact that the water was not contaminated. It was depended on an examination of the water to solve the mystery of the illness.

JACKSON MAY GET NEW JOB

Former Secretary Commercial Club May Go to Harrisburg, Pa.

Warren R. Jackson, former secretary of the Maryville Commercial Club, and at present secretary-manager of the Washington, Pa., Board of Trade, is being considered for the secretaryship of the Chamber of Commerce at Harrisburg, the state capital. The latter position carries a good salary increase and offers a larger field of activity.

NO HOPE FOR ENTOMBED MINERS

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Crystal Falls, Mich., Feb. 22.—All hope has been abandoned of rescuing alive fourteen men who have been entombed in a mine since yesterday.

UNDER FULL SWING

GERMAN DRIVE ON RUSSIA BY LAND AND SEA IS ON

TEUTON FLEET IN DRIVE

Wave of Indignation Spreads Against Trotsky and He May Be Forced to Resign — Huns Enter Minsk

Bulletin.

London, Feb. 22.—While the Bolsheviki government has called upon all Russian soldiers to defend the fatherland and save Petrograd from new government invasion, Stockholm dispatches late today indicated that the German steam rollers were slowly advancing eastward.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

London, Feb. 22.—The German drive on Russia both by land and sea was under full swing today. The disorganized Russian armies are falling back everywhere. Military experts here expressed the belief today that even harsher peace terms than at first proposed would be formed for that nation by the German militarists as a result of these successes. It would cause no surprise here if Trotsky, the Bolsheviki foreign minister, were forced to resign. Petrograd dispatches today indicated a wave of indignation was spreading against Trotsky.

London, Feb. 22.—Forty-five German warships were approaching Reval on Wednesday, according to a message received by the Express from its Petrograd correspondent.

Troops have been landed at Reval and the Daily News' Bolshevist correspondent telegraphs that Leon Trotzky, Bolshevist foreign minister, probably will resign.

Berlin, (via London), Feb. 22.—The German troops have entered Minsk in their advance eastward in Russia, according to the report from headquarters.

Amsterdam, Feb. 22.—A Berlin dispatch says the Russian written confirmation of the acceptance of peace terms has passed the German lines. This disposes of rumors here of the fall of the Lenine-Trotzky government.

FRENCH FIND GERMAN PLOT

Planned to Cause Strikes In Munitions Works as Soon as Western Drive Had Been Started

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Paris, Feb. 22.— Aplot hatched by the German general staff to cause a strike in the munitions plants throughout France simultaneously with the beginning of the drive on the western front by either the Allies or Germany has been uncovered at the munitions center near Lyons, according to the newspaper, Figaro. A German spy, the Figaro states, was arrested with papers found indicating plans of the enemy for causing industrial paralysis. A Swiss, a Spaniard and a Frenchman were arrested as accomplices, the paper stated.

L. B. Tracy returned this morning from a business trip to St. Louis.

Notice.

All Comrades of the G. A. R., and all others of the Blue and the Gray, have been cordially invited by Dr. Ccile to attend the Washington Birthday service at the Presbyterian church Sunday, February 24, 1918.

Rally at G. A. R. hall at 10:30 a. m., sharp. J. D. DICKERSON,
Commander.

THE WEATHER

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NEWS AT QUITMAN.

Aunt Martha Cameron, mother o Robert Linville, has the distinction of being the oldest Red Cross worke in the county, having passed her 93rd birthday. Mrs. Cameron is also grand mother to eight great-grandchildren She makes her home with her daughter, Mrs. Mary Slaughter, three miles east of Skidmore.

Measles have broken out again in the Skidmore high school and several pupils are absent this week on account of them, among them being Anna Bosley and one of the Curnutt boys.

Rev. DeWitt will preach at Centenary church on Sunday evening and Rev. Ragsdale will occupy the pulpit at Quitman both morning and evening.

Miss Gladys Hunter and Miss Josephine Botten, teachers in the Quitman school, visited the Skidmore schools last Saturday. Skidmore has adopted the six - day plan so that school can be out sixteen days earlier, giving the boys an opportunity to help on the farms.

H. D. McDonald has been confined to his room for the past week suffering from rheumatism.

Clifton Carden and George Ross went to Braddyville, Ia., on business the first of the week.

A farewell reception was held at the M. E. church, South, near Skidmore, Tuesday evening for Jake Sutherland and family, who will move to Maryville. Mrs. Laura Sharp, who will remove to Idaho to spend the coming summer, and John Mast and daugh-

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ter, and Mrs. Martha Walker, who will go to California. Mr. Sutherland has served as superintendent of the Sunday school for the past three years.

Jerome Cross, who has been operator of the local switchboard, has resigned. An operator from Maitland has taken his place.

Mrs. H. D. Morris is spending a few weeks with her parents, Mrs. and Mrs. John F. Dowden, at Maryville.

Mrs. Grant Cordell of Idaho, who has been visiting relatives here for the past several months, has returned to her home.

Mr. Street of Harrison county was here last week visiting his mother, Mrs. Vina Waits, and his sister, Mrs. James Glenn.

B. W. Hilt has returned to his home at Thomas, Okla., after spending the winter with his niece, Mrs. H. . McDonald, on Sand Creek.

Dent Porter and family are moving this week from Quitman to a farm two miles south of Burlington Junction.

$100 in gold is the amount to b given away on page four of this paper—look it up. You may be th lucky one.

Mr. and Mrs. William Farnan of Clyde were in Maryville on business today.

Read Democrat-Forum Want Ads.

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Hundreds of women in Missouri have overcome their sufferings, and have been cured of woman's ills by Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. This temperance medicine, though started nearly half a century ago, sells most widely today. It can now be had in tablet form as well as liquid (tablets 60c), and every woman who suffers from backache, headache, nervousness, should take this "Prescription" of Dr. Pierce's. It is prepared from nature's roots and herbs and does not contain a particle of alcohol or any narcotic. It's not a secret prescription, for the ingredients are printed on wrapper. Send 10c for trial package to Dr. V. M. Pierce, President Invalids' Hotel, Buffalo, N. Y.

KANSAS CITY, Mo.—"Several years ago I was cured by taking Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. At that time I suffered with bearing-down pains, was nervous and tired all the time. Just three bottles of 'Prescription' cured me entirely and I have been in splendid health ever since."—MRS. S. J. MURRY, 3305 E. 18th Street.

ST. JOSEPH, Mo.—"During expectancy I became all run-down, weak and nervous. At times I would faint away and lie in these spells for two or three hours. I took medicine but kept getting worse all the time. I decided to try 'Favorite Prescription,' for which I shall always be thankful. It not only built me up in good health, but saved my child. I had a fine baby; it weighed eleven pounds and has always been a healthy child."—MRS. FLOSSIE WALDEN, 2824 S. 17th St.

MOVING TIME ALMOST HERE

Large Number of Residence Changes by City Dwellers is Noted by the Commercial Club

Another sign of the approach of spring is the number of removals of residents from one part of the city to another, together with the changes from country to city and vice versa. In a list of changes noted by the Commercial Club within the past few weeks there are several residents who have removed to other places.

The following changes have been reported:

Wm. Davenport, 1207 East Second to 418 North Fillmore.

H. M. Ellsworth, 424 North Walnut to 124 West Fifth.

Frank Fitz, 107 East Sixth to 719 North Buchanan.

Wm. Frieze, 1305 East Cooper to 1513 East First.

W. H. Gilbert, 311 South Market to 608 North Main.

Ernest Glover, 810 East Fourth to 715 South Buchanan.

J. P. Green, 118 South Saunders to Everett, Wash.

Sam Babb, 820 North Walnut to Los Angeles, Calif.

R. S. Broyles, 203 West Third to 120 East First.

W. A. Burris, 816 South Buchanan to 308 West Seventh.

Jas. Carpenter, 605 South Prairie to 110 South Main.

C. S. Casey, 526 West Third to 703 East Fifth.

Ursle Crockett, 422 East Jenkins to 421 West Eleventh.

L. G. Crossan, 710 North Walnut to Normal Avenue.

C. C. Baker, 517 West Eighth to 308 Grand Avenue.

Orville Bennett, 722 South Walnut to 522 South Fillmore.

Chester Bennett, 416 North Walnut to 422 West Thompson.

Miss Helen Bickett, 322 North Mulberry to 116 North Mulberry.

Otto Bleich, 324 West Sixth to Oklahoma City, Okla.

Miss Mary Boggs, 612 North Mulberry to 513 West First.

John Bookman, Lamar, Mo., to 409 East Third.

Edwin Brewer, 624 North Buchanan to 424 North Walnut.

John Ham, 402 South Davis to 311 South Market.

J. C. Johnston, 403 West Fifth to Lawrence, Kans.

Fred Newlon, 222 West Seventh to 5151 South Buchanan.

A. R. Sage, 829 South Market to 722 South Main.

David Brown, 809 North Saunders to Iowa.

Arthur J. Noid, Topeka, Kans., to 322 West Seventh.

Ford & Wright, Michau Bldg., to corner Fourth and Main.

C. A. Bone, Michau Bldg., to corner Fourth and Main.

C. E. Stilwell, Michau Bldg., to 108½ East Third.

Wallace Bros., Michau Bldg., to the First National Bank Bldg.

Miss Kate Willis, Michau Bldg., to Maco Print Shop.

Kessler Hardware Co., 320 North Main to 119 West Third.

Holmes & Wolfert, 316½ North Main to 409 North Main.

Dietz & Keck, 318½ North Main to 105 West Third.

Holmes Jewelry Co., 316 North Main to 208 North Main.

Adams Express Co., 105 West Third to 120 East Third.

Miss Mary Quinlan, Michau Bldg., to 209 West Eleventh.

News at Clearmont.

O. O. Gregory and wife, John Caldwell and wife, James Hornbuckle and wife, Ned Smith, Carl Burch and Charles Williams attended the automobile show at Kansas City last week.

Art Lusk received word Monday that his father, who lived at Red Oak, Ia., was accidentally killed by a train. Mr. Leuk went to Red Oak and took the body to Forbes, Mo., for burial.

There is considerable sickness in the country and Dr. Dowell is kept busy day and night.

William Pruitt went to Grant City last week, having sold his town property at that place.

Luke Huffman is dangerously ill with pneumonia.

Mrs. Al Roth is quite sick with erysipelas.

W. P. Lemon has purchased a Nash truck of O. O. Gregory.

Ross Stewart, station agent, has resigned and will go to Omaha to work in the office for the Union Pacific railway.

John Burch sold a three-year-old mule last week for $310.

Mrs. Howard Garrett has returned home from a six weeks' visit in California.

Oliver Gray, living east of town, died at the home of his brother-in-law, Burl Hess, Monday, February 18, of tuberculosis. He was in the draft and was stationed at Camp Funston, but was discharged from the army some time ago. He was buried at Burlington Junction Wednesday, the funeral being held at the Christian church, Rev. Weaver officiating.

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Lamb stew, lb	17½c	Plate boil, lb	15c
Neck bones, lb	9c	Fancy chuck roasts, lb	17½c
Spare ribs, lb	22c	Boneless rolled rib roast, lb	22½c
Salt spare ribs, lb	17½c	Fresh pork melts, lb	10c
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This land will be offered free of incumbrances in tracts to suit the bidders and will then be offered as a whole. The sales will be approved in the way that will realize the largest sum of money to the estate.

Parties desiring to view this land prior to the sale may call on H. W. Montgomery or Pearl C. Hays, executors of said estate, at Skidmore.

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Made Oakum Pads.

The Mount Pleasant Red Cross auxiliary met yesterday afternoon at their surgical dressing room at the LeGrande home and completed twenty oakum pads.

Prayer Circle Has Songs.

The Wednesday Morning Prayer Circle met last night at the home of Mrs. R. S. Braniger, and held a sing-song service. About twenty members were present.

King's Herald Band.

The King's Herald Band of the First M. E. church will meet at the home of Miss Ruth Matter tomorrow afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

Knitting Club Will Meet.

The Young Girls' Knitting Club will meet at 2:30 o'clock tomorrow afternoon at the home of Mrs. W. O. Garrett, 302 East Fourth street.

For the Red Cross.

The ladies of the Bedison H. C. will serve lunch at the Coulter-Snyder sale, Monday, February 25. The money will go to the Red Cross fund.

Hold Memorial Sunday.

The annual Washington Memorial services of the Daughters of the American Revolution will be held Sunday morning, February 24, at the Presbyterian church. A sermon will be delivered by Dr. S. A. Coile. The members of the G. A. R., the W. R. C. and the Red Cross are cordially invited to attend.

Aid Society Meets.

The Ladies Aid Society of the First Methodist church met yesterday afternoon at the Epworth League rooms with about twenty-five members present. The election of officers was held. Mrs. L. L. Holbrook was elected president; vice-president, Mrs. C. C. Corwin; secretary, Mrs. Charles McNeal, and treasurer, Mrs. O. C. Hanna.

For Louis Growney.

John Murrin and daughter, Mrs. G. R. Cornelius, entertained at 6 o'clock dinner last night in honor of Louis Growney, who is home from Fort Sam Houston, Tex., on a furlough. Covers were laid for: Louis Growney, P. L. Growney, Beatrice Growney, Miss Bee Murrin, Owen Murrin, and the host and hostess.

Pioneer Willing Helpers.

The Pioneer Willing Helpers met Wednesday afternoon, February 13, with Mrs. C. C. Moore. After the business session two contests were given. The prizes for the first contest going to Mrs. George Wright and Mrs. Earl Gay, and for the second contest to Miss Anna Shanks. Refreshments were served by the hostess. Visitors for the afternoon were: Miss Eva Lawson and Miss Lois Powers. The members present were: Mrs. Milt Swearingen, Mrs. I. V. Moore, Mrs. Perry Evans, Mrs. Claude Neville, Mrs. eGorge Gay, Mrs. George Wright, Mrs. Roy Gay, Mrs. Will Rhoades, Mrs. Maggie Westfall, Mrs. John Lawson, Mrs. Earl Gay, Miss Anna Shanks and the hostess. The next meeting will be held Wednesday, February 27, with Mrs. Claude Neville.

B. H. C. Party.

Mrs. Will Anderson and Mrs. Elmer Young entertained the members of the B. H. C. and their families last Saturday evening with a Valentine party at the Anderson home. The rooms were appropriately decorated with hearts, arrows and Valentines. The evening was spent with games. Prizes were awarded to Lola Coulter, Delbert Ambrose and Dale Stewart. Consolation prizes went to R. D. Stewart, Mrs. J. B. Snyder, Etta Evans and Robert Pittzenberger. Refreshments were served at the close of the evening by Mrs. Young and Mrs. Anderson, assisted by Sue Young. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Ambrose, Mrs. B. W. Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Dodd, Mrs. R. D. Stewart, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Pittzenberger and children, Mrs. J. B. Snyder, Lida Ambrose, Etta and May Evans, Lola Coulter, Sue Young, Laura Snyder, Rex Kidder, Dale Stewart, Delbert Ambrose, Wesley Anderson, Lora Belle Pittzenberger, Will Anderson and the hostess.

Farewell for Mrs. Donahue.

Mrs. W. G. Howard of Skidmore entertained yesterday afternoon with an informal party in honor of Mrs. Steve Donahue, who is moving to Maryville soon to make her home. Ten guests were present.

For Tucker Family.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Holtman entertained Thursday night in honor of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Tucker and family, who leave soon for Idaho, where they will make their home. A dainty three course luncheon was served. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Tucker, Mr. and Mrs. Everett Lawson, Mrs. B. B. Holtman, Miss Edna Tucker, Miss Myrtle Tucker, Everett Tucker, Miss Goldia Adcock of Maryville, Francis Holtman, LeRoy Holtman and the host and hostess.

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TRIMMED THE TARKS

(Continued from page 1.)

the last session half way through, the Bearcats got the goal range and things began to happen, and a rally by Stives' men was met by a counter rally that put them out of the running and the Normal went past the tape six points to the good. It was a game that was worth the money and was full of action all the way. It would have been a hard matter to have told that the men were not in their regular positions, and they teamed it all the way in great shape.

Scott, ineligible until shortly before the game, stood an exam and was given his grade by Dean Colbert in the absence of President Richardson. Five minutes later he was in uniform. Miller and Wells, nearly sick with measles, were anxious to play. Athletic Director Hanson had them examined by Dr. Will Wallis, who said they might go into the game. The final line-up was: Miller and Scott, forwards; McMahon, center; Wells and Richards, guards; with Sawyers taking Wells' place during the last few minutes of play.

Miller and McMahon were the star goal getters, the former with seven free goals to his credit, the latter six. Miller threw 3 out of 6 foul goals, and McMahon got 1 out of 3. Scott made 3 field goals and Richards 2.

For the Tarks, field goals were made by: Legge 4, Johnson 4, Huddle 1, Whitnell 3, McCoy 1. J. Patterson played for Graham in the last half. Huddle got 8 out of 11 foul goals.

Keedy Campbell of Kansas City refereed the game.

The next scheduled conference game of the Normals is with Westminster College, on February 28, at Maryville. This is followed on March 1 with the game with the Funston five, which is expected to be the biggest basket ball event in the history of the Normal.

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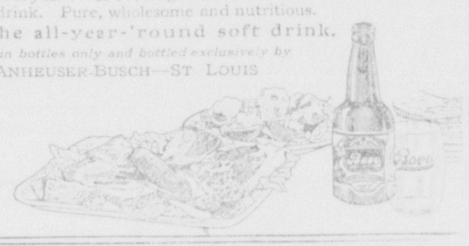

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The following property:

7 Head of Horses—Consisting of pair of draft mares, 9 and 10 years old, in foal to jack. This is a good pair. 1black mare 11 years old, broke in all harness; 1 sorrel mare, 4 years old; 1 coming 4 year old horse, weight 1100; broke double; 1 brown mare, 9 years old, sound and broke in all harness; 1 coming 4 year old horse, weight 1100, sound, broke to work.

15 Head of Cattle—Consisting of 3 good cows, giving milk; 1 cow to be fresh soon; 1 coming 2 year old heifer; 6 head fat yearlings; 3 heifers and 3 steers; 4 head of summer calves; 1 coming yearling Shorthorn bull. These cattle are all good quality.

19 Head of Hogs—Consisting of 8 head brood sows; 10 extra good stock hogs; 1 full blood Duroc Jersey boar.

Grain and Hay—About 500 bushels white and yellow assorted corn; about 500 bushels extra good oats; about 8 tons good oat straw; a few bushels of seed corn.

Implements—1 set good work harness; 1 set double buggy harness; 1 Dain sweep rake; 1 McCormick sulky rake; 1 Dain mowing machine; 1 two-row John Deere go-devil; 1 single row go-devil; 1 St. Joe walking lister and drill combined; 1 14-inch St. Joe breaking plow; 1 John Deere walking cultivator; 1 Gale corn planter with furrow opener and 80 rods of check row wire; 1 14-inch gang polw; 1 New Deere riding cultivator; 1 disc cultivator; 3 feed bunks; 1 hog trough and 1 ringing chute.

Terms—Sums under $10, cash. Over that amount 6 or 9 months time will be given ,purchaser giving bankable note bearing 8 per cent interest from date. No property to be removed unti terms of sale are complied with.

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Dec. 23, 1917. JESSE HICKS, Oregon, Mo., R. F. D.

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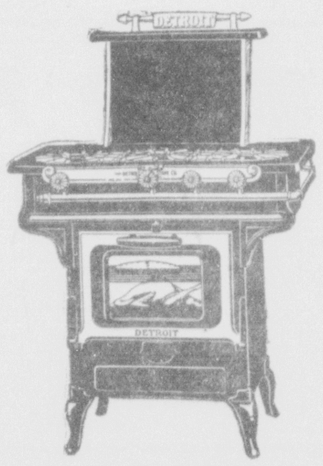

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FOR SALE—Milk cows, brood sow and stock shoats will be included in public sale held at H. A. Coulter farm 1¼ miles southeast of Bedison on Monday, February 25. 20-22*

FOR SALE—6 or 7 bushels of corn in lots to suit purchaser. C. A. Sturm, 3½ miles south of Maryville. 22-25*

FOR SALE—Mare 6 years old, well broke for harness and saddle. Sewell Auto Co. 20-22

FOR SALE—No. 15 Detroit gasoline stove. Inquire Democrat-Forum. 22-25

FOR SALE—The Seafers car, "Auburn 37," good condition, spare tire. If taken at once $425. See Ernest Welborn at postoffice. 21-23*

FOR SALE — 2-year-old registered Shorthorn bull, grade 4-year-old Shorthorn cow and calf; work mare, smooth mouth. N. A. Brown, phone 50-21. 22-28*

FOR SALE—300 acre farm, possession March 1. Price right, best of terms. Also 100 acre farm, possession March 1. Price and terms good. Timothy hay for sale in stack. See Holmes & Wolfert. 22-25*

FOR QUICK SALE—20 tons baled alfalfa, 14 tons baled choice timothy, some baled oat straw. Call J. F. Cook farm at Skidmore. 20-22

TIMOTHY SEED—1917 seed carefully re-cleaned; sample mailed on request. Buy now at $4.00 per bu. John P. Schwarz, Burlington Junction, Mo. 16-22*

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PLUMBING—We make a specialty of installing modern plumbing in old houses and remodeling old plumbing; estimates free. Standard Plumbing Co., Hanamo 46.

40 White Leghorn S. C. hens will be offered for sale at the H. A. Coulter sale. 20-22*

Nice improved 10-acre tract, close in. Will exchange for well locate city property. See Nash & Woodard north side square, Maryville. 20-22*

LOST—Lady's brown leather glove for right hand, some time ago. Return to Democrat-Forum office. 20-22*

Buy your Ried's Yellow Dent seed corn at home. Call Mrs. C. H. Wood, 17-59 at Graham. 19-4

FOUND—Automobile license plate Owner may have by paying for ad Sewell Auto Co. 20-22

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WANTED—To buy sweet cream. Call Reuillard, phone 11. 19-25

WANTED—To trade for a used Ford touring in good condition. Landon Music Co. 19-25

WANTED—At once, good, steady farm hand, single man. Emmett Scott Route 1, both phones. 20-22

WANTED—To rent 60 to 120 acres, will pay cash or grain rent. H. S. Jones, Burlington Junction, Mo. 21-23*

WANTED—Office desk in good condition. Call Hanamo 5491 in the morning or 40 in afternoon. 21-23*

WANTED — The Democrat-Forum wants live correspondents at Barnard Burlington Junction, Skidmore, Guilford, Clearmont and Clyde. Write fo information. The Democrat-Forum. tf

WANTED—Married man with smal family that I can board with and will board extra help. J. Ward Stevenso Graham, Mo.

WANTED — To rent, about 6 room house close in, water and lights. Inquire at Democrat-Forum.

WANTED — A dish washer at the New Linville Hotel. 22-25

WANTED — To rent, 6 or 7 room modern house. Call Bowman, 22 Hanamo, Saturday morning. 22

WANTED—Men to cut wood, pole or cord length. Guy Mutz, Phone 45-15. 22-25*

WANTED TO SELL—Am overstocked in auto dimmers; will sell at cost; also have a few of the non-Skid Endurance casings—5,000 mile guarantee, which can be bought at a bargain. Also Willys-Knight 6-cylinder roadster; 1 83 Overland touring car, limousine or touring top. These cars are in first-class condition; casings nearly new. Call at Tilson's Garage. 22-25

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FOR RENT—Warm, clean room furnished for light housekeeping; references required. 216 E. 3rd. Hanamo 3041. 2tf

FOR RENT—Modern 8-room house on South Buchanan street. See or call Ed Cassell, Farmers 216 city. 20-26*

FOR RENT—6 room house, barn and outbuildings in southeast Maryville. Bert Hiatt, Hanamo 3721, Farmers 127-15. 21-23

(1st insertion Feb. 9; last March 2)
ORDER OF PUBLICATION.

State of Missouri, County of Nodaway, ss. In the Circuit Court, April term, 1918.

August King, executor of the estate of Mary German, Plaintiff, vs. Frank German, John German, Anna McPherson, Louisa German and Mary German, Defendants.

Now at this day comes the Plaintiff herein, by his Attorneys and files his Petition and Affidavit, alleging among other things that Defendants, Frank German, John German, Anna McPherson and Mary German are not residents of the State of Missouri, so that the ordinary process of law can not be served upon them within this State.

Whereupon, it is ordered by the Clerk in vacation that said Defendants be notified by Publication that Plaintiff has commenced a suit against them in this Court, the object and general nature of which is to construe the will of John German, deceased, and advise and direct the Plaintiff as to his duties under the will of Mary German deceased, concerning and affecting the right, title and interests of the defendants in and to the following described land situate in Nodaway County, Missouri, to wit: The South One-half of the Southeast Quarter and the Northwest Quarter of the Southeast Quarter and the Southwest Quarter of the Northeast Quarter of Section Thirty-one (31), Township Sixty-three (63) of Range Thirty-three (33), and that unless the said Defendants be and appear at this Court, at the next term thereof, to be begun and holden at the Court House in the City of Maryville, in said County, on the 1st day of April next, and on or before the first day of said Term, unless further time be granted by the Court, answer or demur to the Petition in said cause, the same will be taken as confessed, and judgment will be rendered accordingly.

And it is Further Ordered, that a copy hereof be published, according to law, in the Democrat-Forum, a newspaper published in said County of Nodaway for four weeks successively, published at least once a week, the last insertion to be at least fifteen days before the first day of said next April Term of this Court.

G. H. WESTFALL, Circuit Clerk.
(Seal) By AMOS SPRECHER, Deputy
A true copy from the record.
Witness my hand, and seal of the Circuit Court of Nodaway County, this 9th day of February, 1918.
G. H. WESTFALL, Circuit Clerk.
AMOS SPRECHER, D. C.

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ORDER OF PUBLICATION.

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To Whom It May Concern:

Notice is hereby given that on this day Emily Lemon, Nellie Jones and Lillie Amy Garrett, petitioners herein, by their attorneys file their petition, verified by affidavit, alleging among other things that on or about the— day of ———— 1912, one James H. Lemon made, executed and delivered to the petitioners a certain warranty deed conveying to petitioners certain lands in Nodaway County, Missouri, described as follows, to wit:

The Northeast Fourth of the Northwest Quarter and the Northwest Fourth of the Northeast Quarter and five acres off of the West part of the Northeast Fourth of the Northeast Quarter, all in Section Six (6) in Township Sixty-five (65) of Range Thirty-six (36), Nodaway County, Missouri, same being a part of the home place where the said James H. Lemon then resided.

Said deed conveyed to the petitioner, Emily Lemon said lands for the term of her natural life with remainder to the petitioners Nellie Jones and Lillie Amy Garrett in equal parts.

That after the execution and delivery of said deed to petitioners the said deed was lost or destroyed. That said deed has not been recorded in the Recorder's office of Nodaway County, Missouri; that the said deed was executed by the said James H. Lemon and Emily Lemon, his wife, and praying the Court to hear such testimony as the petitioners may produce touching the execution, delivery and loss of said deed and their interests in the land therein described and to adjudge and determine according to the evidence so adduced by petitioners and that a decree will be entered in said cause at the next term of said court and the title or interest to or in said land adjudged to said petitioners according to the prayer of their petition and it is further ordered that a copy hereof be published according to law in the Democrat-Forum, a newspaper published in said Nodaway County, Missouri, once a week for at least four weeks, the last insertion to be at least four weeks prior to the April 1918 Term of said Court.

(Seal) G. H. WESTFALL, Circuit Clerk.
A true copy from the record.
Witness my hand, and seal of the Circuit Court of Nodaway County, this 9th day of February, 1918.
G. H. WESTFALL, Circuit Clerk.

MARKET REPORTS

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Grain Market Future

Kansas City, Feb. 22.—CORN—May, $1.27.

Kansas City Live Stock

Kansas City, Feb. 22.—CATTLE—Receipts, 4,000; steers, $11.00@$12.50; cows, $7.00@$10.50.

HOGS—Receipts, 9,000; top, $17.50; bulk, $17.20@$17.45.

Chicago Live Stock

Chicago, Feb. 22. — CATTLE—Receipts, 9,000; market, steady.

HOGS—Receipts, 38,000; market is steady; top, $17.50.

St. Joseph Live Stock

St. Joseph, Feb. 22.—CATTLE—Receipts, 1,200; market, steady.

HOGS—Receipts, 5,500; market, 25 higher; top, $17.50.

PRODUCE MARKET.

Springs	20c
Ducks	17c
Geese	17c
Old Roosters	12c
Hides, per lb.	10
Eggs, per doz.	40c
Cream, per lb.	50c

Victor Pinnell of Oklahoma City arrived in Maryville last night to visit his aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. McNeal.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Frazee went to St. Louis last Monday night on business.

William Atkinson of Rock Island, Ill., who has been visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. McNeal, left Thursday for Kearney, Nebr., where he will visit friends and relatives.

Miss Densie Crawford left Saturday for her home in Atchison, Kans., after a visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. McNeal of Maryville.

Mrs. R. T. Noakes of Burlington Junction is shopping in Maryville today.

After March 1st

We will do a Cash Business only — including all labor and parts.

WHITNEY & IRBY.

What Do You Buy When You Buy Meat?

The high quality that has made us a reputation for good meat?

The full weight that has made us the confidence of our customers?

The sanitary cleanliness that has made you like to come to our market?

The painstaking care that has made you feel that you could get what you want when you want it?

The prompt delivery that has made it a pleasure for you to order your meats by phone?

Do you buy these things or do you buy claims of "low prices?"

You know as well as we do that a man with two little markets can't buy the nation's chief food product—which has a universal market price—at less than that market price. That the price is only regulated by the quality—and that

Our Prices are as Low as Our Quality Permits.

Reimer's Market
410 North Main St.

THE SISSON LOAN & TITLE CO.

MARYVILLE, MISSOURI

Real Estate, Loans and Insurance

Counting Rooms Over Nodaway Valley Bank
Best Terms Ever Offered—See Us.

$100 Reward

If you will cut out this ad and bring it to me inside of 12 months with a buyer for one of the nicest located, handiest and best improved farms in Northwest Missouri, I will give you the above amount in gold for your trouble.

DESCRIPTION OF FARM.

Size 80, 120, or 160 acres in one block. This farm is located in the northeast corner of Nodaway county, Independence township. The 1917 statistics shows this county to be the richest and most productive county in the state. Over 10 million dollars worth of corn, wheat and oats were grown in this county last season. If your home is in the above county you are living in one of the richest and most productive agricultural spots on this globe and in this locality. A crop failure was never known. This land is in a high state of cultivation. Black soil underlaid with clay, rolling with good drainage; no rock or stone—75 to 100 acres in cultivation, 30 to 40 acres meadow, balance pasture, all under fence and cross fenced. This farm is nicely located on main traveled road, two miles from town, one mile to church, ½ mile to school, telephone and free delivery. Sheridan is a town of 6 or 7 hundred population located on one of the best railroads in the state. All classes of business represented. Good 12 grade school, two churches, large grain elevator and everything that goes to make it one of the best buying and selling points between Des Moines, Ia., and Savannah, Mo.

DESCRIPTION OF IMPROVEMENTS.

Two story eight room house, nicely finished, with cement walks all around it and to all the out buildings; wash house 14x16; good brick cave; horse barn 30x40; cattle barn 40x50; hay shed 20x60; hog house 16x30; hen house; garage; implement shed, and best of all, never failing water, with wind pumps and two large cement watering tanks. If the above description is something near what you want come and look it over and if satisfactory, the price is right. One-third down, balance 5, 10, 15 or 20 years at 6 per cent.

P. S.—Will sell household goods and furniture, stock, hay, grain and farm implements on same terms and give possession in ten days. Come and see or address

Gene Dowis, Owner
SHERIDAN, MO., Route 3, Box 51.

Closing Out Sale

On account of sickness in the family and having rented the farm, I will sell at public auction at the place known as the John Jackson farm, 1½ miles north of Bedison, 7 miles southeast of Maryville, on

Thursday, Feb. 28

at 10 a. m., the following described property:

8 Head of Horses—Black horse, 5 years old, weight 1300; bay horse, 9 years old, weight 1200; bay mare, 5 years old, weight 1200; black horse, 4 years old, weight 1000; driving team, 3 and 4 years old; yearling horse; weanling colt.

6 Head of Cattle—5 good milch cows; 2 fresh in spring, balance fresh now; yearling heifer, good one.

18 Head of Hogs—5 brood sows; thoroughbred Poland-China boar; 12 head shoats, good ones.

Grain—110 shocks corn fodder; 600 bushels corn; 125 bushels oats; 2 tons straw in barn.

8 Dozen White Leghorn Hens.

Implements—Carriage, good one; new buggy; riding cultivator; walking cultivator; mowing machine go-devil; 14 inch stirring plow, new; 2 wagons; 3 sets of work harness; new set buggy harness; set single harness; hay rack; disc; 20 bushels potatoes; cream separator; ice cream freezer; household goods and other articles too numerous to mention.

Terms—$10.00 and under, cash; over that amount a credit of 3, 6 or 9 months time on bankable note bearing 8 per cent from date. No property to be removed until terms of sale are complied with.

LUNCH by Bedison Aid Society.

J. R. Braniger, Auct.
John Richey, Clerk.

J. F. Thompson

Public Sale

As I am going to move to DeKalb county, I will sell at public sale at the old Sam Leech farm, 5 miles east of Pickering and 2 miles northwest of Orrsburg, on

Tuesday, February 26

3 Horses—1 mare coming 4-year-old, wt. 1300 and sound; 1 sorrel horse coming 3-year-old; 1 bay saddle horse, 5-year-old; 1 yearling mule.

19 Cattle—Two recorded Shorthorn cows; one large roan cow, wt. about 1400; one red cow, by (Good Choice), wt. about 1200—both bred to a Scotch Lavendar bull; three yearling Shorthorn bulls, two reds and one roan, all recorded; four Hereford heifers coming 2 years old, to be fresh soon; one black coming 3-year-old cow; eight coming yearling calves, 6 heifers and 2 steers; one good milch cow, giving milk.

8 Brood Sows—6 Chester White gilts; 1 spotted Poland-China gilt; 1 spotted Poland tried sow. All are bred to a registered Chester White boar.

Grain—450 bu. of good hand picked yellow corn.

Eight or ten tons of hay in the barn.

Miscellaneous—1 14-inch gang plow, hay loader, DeLaval cream separator, 2 Round Oak heaters, 1 cook stove, kitchen cabinet, a few dozen hens and other things not mentioned.

Terms—All sums of $10 and under, cash; over that amount a credit of 3, 6 or 9 months time will be given, purchaser to give a bankable note bearing 8 per cent interest. Nothing to be removed until settled for.

LUNCH by the ladies of H. K. G. Club.

Cummins & Miller, Aucts.
Alva Lett, Clerk.

J. C. Leach

Closing Out Sale

Being compelled to quit farming on account of my wife's health, I will sell at the Williams farm, 5 miles southeast of Maryville, 4 miles north of Arkoe, ½ mile east of Carr bridge on

Wednesday, Feb. 27

14 Head of Horses and Mules—1 black mare ten years old; 1 gray mare eight years old; 1 gray mare, smooth mouth; 1 bay mare, smooth mouth; 1 bay horse, five years old; 2 black mares coming four years old; 1 sorrel horse eight years old; 1 bay mare, smooth mouth; 1 weanling horse colt; 1 span of mules, smooth mouth; 1 black mare 4 years old.

34 Head of Cattle—14 head of milch cows; some are extra good, some fresh and others will freshen in spring. Four 2-year-old heifers will freshen about March 1; 1 white face bull coming 4-year-old; 3 2-year-old steers; 9 head of spring calves.

28Head of Hogs—1 Poland-China brood sow, will farrow between February 25 and March 1; 11 gilts to farrow in spring; 14 shoats; 1 white male hog.

Small Grain—400 or 500 bu. of oats; 1 galvanized grainery, holds about 1,000 bushels; 700 hard wood fence posts.

Farm Implements—3 farm wagons; 1 carriage; 2 hay racks; 1 Milwaukee grain binder; 1 sulky plow; 2 New Century cultivators; 1 disc cultivator; 1 Busy Bee cultivator; 1 Janesville corn planter; 2 disc harrows; 1 3-section harrow; 1 stalk cutter; 1 wheat drill; 2 listers; 1 walking plow; grindstone; 2 top buggies; 2 sets single buggy harness; 4 sets of work harness; 1 DeLaval cream separator; 1 nearly new Golden Harvest cream separator; 10 bushels of Early Ohio potatoes; some household furniture and other articles too numerous to mention.

Terms—3 to 6 months, bankable note bearing 8 per cent from date. LUNCH ON GROUNDS.

R. P. Hosmer, Auct.
E. E. Williams, Clerk.

J. L. Breedlove

2--Closing Out Sales

Tues. and Thurs. Feb. 26-28

I will sell at the place known as the J. S. Miller farm, 8½ miles southwest of Maryville and 8 miles east of Skidmore, on

Tuesday, February 26th

at 10 a. m., the following property:

5 Head of Horses—2 bay mares, 5 and 8 years old, bred to Percheron horse; span bay horses, 3 and 5 years old, good all purpose team; black horse, coming 5 years old, sound.

56 Head of Cattle—53 head of yearling steers, 3 milch cows.

145 Head of Stock Hogs—60 head of choice stock hogs, 85 head of fat hogs, a fine bunch.

Hay, Grain and Feed—10 tons timothy hay in barn; 15 tons hay in stack; 10 bu. seed corn; 50 shocks corn fodder, cut with binder; 30 bu. timothy seed.

Implements—New Century cultivator; Janesville cultivator; 2 10-ft. harrow, disc, low wheel wagon and rack, new wagon box, scoop end gate, 2 walking plows, set work harness, carriage, rake, McCormick mowing machine, 5 feed bunks, 2 galvanized water tanks, 450 hedge posts.

LUNCH by Rockford Red Cross ladies.

Thursday, Feb. 28

at my farm, 1½ miles north of Maryville, I will sell the following property, commencing at 10 a. m.

4 Head of Horses—Bay mare, 7 years old, weight 1200; bay mare, 4 years old, weight 1200; 2 weanling mare colts.

40 Head of Cattle—15 head of milch cows; 25 head calves.

45 Head of Hogs—30 brood sows, 15 Duroes and 15 Poland-Chinas, due to pig in April and May; 15 head of stock hogs.

Grain and Hay—150 bu. oats, 100 bu. rye, 10 tons clover hay, 35 tons ensilage, 6 wagon loads of corn fodder.

Implements—Disc, harrow, wagon, top buggy, lister, corn planter, hay rake, 2 sets harness, single harness, 2 feed bunks, 2 hand pumps, 150 Rhode Island hens, some household furniture. LUNCH ON GROUND.

Terms—All sums of $10.00 and under, cash; over that amount a credit of 3, 6 or 9 months time on a bankable note bearing 8 per cent from date.

R. P. Hosmer, Auct.
Jos. Jackson, Jr., Clerk.

S. A. Pierpoint

Administrator's Sale

In order to close out partnership between Leslie Griffy and the estate of Preston Seafers, deceased, the undersigned will sell at public auction at the Seafers farm, 2 miles west of Harmony church and 8 miles northeast of Maryville, on

Thursday, February 28

Beginning at 10 o'clock a. m. the following described property, to wit:

60 Head of Cattle—16 head of black Polled Angus cows; ten head of Shorthorn cows, all bred to bring calves in the spring; 35 calves; 2 good Polled Angus bulls.

14 Head of Horses and Mules—8 head of extra mare mules, said to be the best in the county; 2 bay geldings; 2 gray mares; 1 gray filly, 3 years old; 1 horse mule 3 years old.

57 Head of Hogs—22 head of brood sows, extra good and mostly pure bred stock; 1 Poland-China boar, balance good stock hogs.

Quantity of Feed, some Implements and Harness.

Harmony Ladies will Serve Lunch.

Terms of Sale—All sums of $25 and under, cash; over that amount 6 and 9 months time with bankable note bearing 8 per cent interest from date.

Cols. Chas. Evans and
W. F. Sawyer, Aucts.

J. S. Casteel, Adm.

Closing Out Sale

On account of moving to California, we will sell at the place known as the Elias Orear farm, 3½ miles west of Harmony, 1½ miles southeast of Myrtle Tree church, 7 miles northeast of Maryville, on

Tuesday, Februry 26

at 10 a. m., the following described property:

11 Head of Horses—Black mare, 6 years old, weight 1250; black mare, 8 years old, weight 1400; sorrel horse, 4 years old, weight 1150; roan mare, 7 years old, weight 1150, bred by Dowden's horse, and in foal; 2 geldings, 2 years old, weight 2100; bay mare, 3 years old, weight 1150; roan gelding, 3 years old, weight 1150; bay mare, in foal to Dowden's horse, weight 1400; team drivers, well matched and broke 5 and 6 years old, weight 2300.

15 Head of Cattle—8 milch cows, some fresh now, balance fresh March and April; 6 calves, coming 2 years old, heifers and steers; Whiteface bull, coming 3 years old.

66 Head of Hogs—15 tried brood sows, farrow March and April; 50 fall shoats; Poland-China male hog; 13 goats

Hay and Grain—8 tons clover hay, baled; 12 tons wild hay in stack; 500 bu. good white solid corn; 400 bu. yellow dent corn; 12 bushels seed corn.

Implements—High wheel wagon and rack; corn planter; 2 buggies; 16-inch walking plow; lister; disc; cultivator.

Terms—3, 6 or 9 months time on bankable note bearing 8 per cent from date. No property to be removed until terms of sale are complied with.

LUNCH by Myrtle Tree Club.

J. R. Braniger, Auct.
J. D. Richey, Clerk.

John O'Connell & Son